

Food and Drug Administration Rockville MD 20857

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September 20, 2001

William J. McNichol, Jr. Reed Smith LLP 2500 One Liberty Place 1650 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19103

Dear Mr. McNichol:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to take action in regard to generic cefuroxime axetil products was received by this office on 09/20/01. It was assigned docket number 01P-0428/CP 1 and it was filed on 09/20/01. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

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